

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

BIG RIVERS ELECTRIC CORPORATION'S)
NOTICE OF CHANGES IN RATES AND)
TARIFFS FOR WHOLESALE ELECTRIC SERVICE) CASE NO. 9613
AND OF A FINANCIAL WORKOUT PLAN)

O R D E R

On September 24, 1986, National Southwire Aluminum Company ("NSA") filed a motion requesting a 4 day extension, from October 2, 1986, to October 6, 1986, to request follow-up information from Big Rivers Electric Corporation ("Big Rivers"). NSA states that it served by overnight courier its second request for information to Big Rivers on September 12, 1986, and that Big Rivers filed with the Commission its answers to the request on September 22, 1986. NSA alleges that Big Rivers apparently served NSA by regular mail and that the answers had not been received by September 23, 1986. NSA claims that good cause exists to grant its request for 4 additional days, to October 6, 1986, to request follow-up information from Big Rivers.

On September 25, 1986, Big Rivers filed a response to NSA's motion for an extension of time. Big Rivers states that it received NSA's second request for information on September 13, 1986, and served its responses by overnight courier on September 23, 1986. Big Rivers claims that it is in compliance with the Commission's procedural Order entered September 3, 1986, requiring

responses to data requests to be made within 10 days of their receipt.

Based on the motion and response, and being advised the Commission is of the opinion and hereby finds that Big Rivers has complied with the established procedural Order by serving its answers to data requests within 10 days of their receipt. However, the Commission is concerned that Big Rivers filed its answers with the Commission on September 22, 1986, but did not serve NSA and the other parties until September 23, 1986. Consequently, NSA should be granted a one day extension to October 3, 1986, to request follow-up information from Big Rivers.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that NSA be and it hereby is granted a one day extension, to October 3, 1986, to request follow-up information from Big Rivers.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 30th day of September, 1986.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION


Chairman


Vice Chairman


Commissioner

ATTEST:

Executive Director